To: Thomas J Aluise[Thomas.J.Aluise@wv.gov]

From: Ferrell, Mark

Sent: Tue 2/25/2014 2:28:09 PM

Subject: Re: Air

Thanks for that clarification, Tom. EPA has not been engaged in Air sampling or testing at this point.

From: Aluise, Thomas J < Thomas.J.Aluise@wv.gov> Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2014 8:57:23 AM

To: Ferrell, Mark Subject: RE: Air

Mark

What you might have read was the story about the rapid response team that is called out to schools when an odor is detected. There are inspectors from our Division of Air Quality on that rapid response team and their role basically is to sniff for odors. They take odor training as part of their jobs. They do not do any air quality testing at the schools they visit. We've had discussions at the DEP about air testing at schools but it was determined our DAQ did not have the proper instrumentation to conduct the testing for an organic such as MCHM. We reached out to the EPA and I'm not certain where the discussions when from there.

Thanks, Tom

----Original Message-----

From: Ferrell, Mark [mailto:Ferrell.Mark@epa.gov] Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2014 7:41 AM

To: Aluise, Thomas J Subject: Fw: Air

See in the paper this morning that DEP Div of Air has been doing testing at schools so I think I have my answer - thanks.

Mark

From: Ferrell, Mark

Sent: Monday, February 24, 2014 7:20:29 PM

To: Thomas J Aluise

Subject: Air

Hi Tom

Working on a response to some questions for Sen. Rockefeller's office. He's asking if anyone has conducted air samples/testing in state connected to MCHM. Checking to see if DEP has. Thanks

Mark ÿ